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Jocelyn G. Boyd, Esquire Chief Clerk & Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE: Joint Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress,

LLC to Establish Green Source Advantage Programs and Riders GSA.

Docket No. 2018-320-E

Dear Ms. Boyd:

The South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") does not object to the request of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC ("DEC") and Duke Energy Progress, LLC ("DEP") for approval of their Green Source Advantage Voluntary Renewable Energy Programs, as modified, on or before December 9, 2020, subject to the tariff changes identified in the Exhibits to this letter. ORS's changes make the tariffs more company-specific, and ORS submits that removing the overlapping language between DEP and DEC will enhance program clarity for potential customer participants. ORS has consulted with counsel for DEC and DEP and been advised that DEC and DEP are agreeable to the proposed changes.

Sincerely,

/s/ Alexander W. Knowles

Alexander W. Knowles

cc: All Parties of Record (via e-mail)
David Butler, Esquire (via e-mail)

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¹ Exhibit 1 is a clean version of the proposed DEC Tariff; Exhibit 2 is a redline version with ORS and DEC redlines. Exhibit 3 is a clean version of the proposed DEP Tariff; Exhibit 4 is a redline with ORS and DEP redlines.